

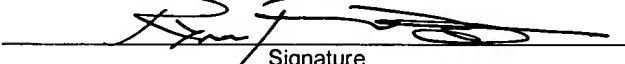


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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2006 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) | | Docket Number (Optional) 29953-175016 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Application Number 10/752,538-Conf. #5153 | | Filed January 8, 2004 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| For MOLDED CONTAINER WITH BEADED NECK | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Art Unit 3727 | Examiner S. A. Weaver | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):</p> <table> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Fee</th> <th>Small Entity Fee</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td> <td>\$120</td> <td>\$60</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td> <td>\$450</td> <td>\$225</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td> <td>\$1020</td> <td>\$510</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td> <td>\$1590</td> <td>\$795</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td> <td>\$2160</td> <td>\$1080</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>22-0261</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> | | | | Fee | Small Entity Fee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$120 | \$60 | <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$450 | \$225 | <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$1020 | \$510 | <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1590 | \$795 | <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2160 | \$1080 |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$120 | \$60 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2160 | \$1080 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number <u>58,094</u></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 _____</p> <p> Signature</p> <p>Ryan M. Flandro Typed or printed name</p> <p>October 13, 2006 Date</p> <p>(202) 344-4000 Telephone Number</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

For FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT | (\$) 120.00 | Attorney Docket No. | 29953-175016 |
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Complete if Known

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| Application Number | 10/752,538-Conf. #5153 |
| Filing Date | January 8, 2004 |
| First Named Inventor | Larry Taylor et al. |
| Examiner Name | S. A. Weaver |
| Art Unit | 3727 |

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify): _____

Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 22-0261 Deposit Account Name: Venable LLP

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

| <u>Application Type</u> | <u>FILING FEES</u> | | <u>SEARCH FEES</u> | | <u>EXAMINATION FEES</u> | | <u>Fees Paid (\$)</u> |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> | |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEESFee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

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| <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u> |
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50 25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

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| <u>Total Claims</u> | <u>Extra Claims</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> | <u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u> |
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24 - 31 = _____ x _____ = _____

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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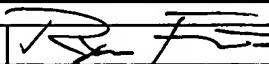
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1251 Extension for response within first month

120.00

| SUBMITTED BY | | Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) | Telephone |
|---------------------|---|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Signature |  | 58,094 | (202) 344-4000 |
| Name (Print/Type) | Ryan M. Flandro | Date | October 13, 2006 |

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